

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

ALL INDIA SERVICES – INDIAN FOREST SERVICE - Sri A.K. Jain, IFS, Special Secretary to Government, Irrigation and Command Area Development Department – Availment of L.T.C. to go to Gangtok, Sikkim State and back along with his family members for the block period 2008-2009 – Permission to travel by taxi from Gangtok to Yumthang, in relaxation of A.P.T.A. Rules – Orders - Issued.

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GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SC.IFS) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1912

Dated: 22nd April, 2010.

Read the following:-

- 1.G.O.R.No.2847, G.A. (SC.IFS) Department, dated 11.06.2009.
- 2.U.O.No.5705/PW:OP/A1/10-1, Dated 10.03.2010 of I & CAD (PW:OP) Department.

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O R D E R:

In the reference 1st read, the intention of Sri A.K. Jain, IFS, Special Secretary to Government, Irrigation and Command Area Development Department to avail Leave Travel Concession to go to Gangtok, Sikkim State and back along with his family members for the block period 2008-2009 was recorded.

2. The Member of Service in his application dated 04.03.2010, received through the reference 2nd read above has stated that the Resident Audit Officer, Office of the Principal Accountant General (Civil Audit), Hyderabad in his letter dated 22.02.2010 addressed to the Pay & Accounts Officer, Hyderabad has stated that the official has claimed taxi fares for journeys between Gangtok and Yumthang (both days) on 24.05.2009 and 25.05.2009 stating that no transportation was available between the two places. The Resident Audit Officer has also stated that in the absence of specific instructions from the Government to regulate such claims, the claim can not be admitted in audit and finally asked the Pay & Accounts Officer, Hyderabad to recover the taxi fare amounting to Rs.6,000/-.

3. The M.o.S. has stated that Yumthang is a very interior place in Sikkim State and there is no public transport available from Gangtok to Yumthang, except going by a taxi. He has, therefore, requested the Government to regulate his LTC claim of Rs.6,000/- taxi fare from Gangtok to Yumthang in Sikkim State, since there was no public transport available from Gangtok to Yumthang.

4. After careful examination of the matter, Government hereby regulate the taxi fare of Rs.6,000/- (Rupees Six Thousand Only) incurred by Dr. A.K. Jain, IFS, Special Secretary to Government, I & CAD (PW) Department from Gangtok to Yumthang (both ways) as there was no public transport available, between these two places, in relaxation of A.P.T.A. Rules.

5. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance vide their U.O.No.9336/63/TA/2010, Dated 16.04.2010.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**R.M.GONELA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (POLL.)**

To

Sri A.K. Jain, IFS, Special Secretary to Government, Irrigation and Command Area Development Department, **through** the Irrigation and Command Area Development (OP.) Department.

The Irrigation and Command Area Development (OP.) Department.

Copy to:

The Pay and Accounts Officer, Hyderabad.

The Prl. Accountant General (Civil Audit), A.P., Hyderabad.

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P. Hyderabad.

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// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER (SC)